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THE PRINCIPAL TOPIC OF DISCUSSION.

The Plan of the Hill Men—An Anti-Cleveland Baster—Colorado for Hill and Free Silver—Puzzles the Hill Men, Etc.

THE CHIEF TOPIC OF DISCUSSION.

CHICAGO, June 20.—The publication of the United Press dispatch from Topeka, Kan., quoting Senator Hill in favor of free silver, stirred the delegates in the face yesterday morning in a conference of the newspapermen and furnished the chief topic of conversation among the western and southern press. It was made public at a favorable time to influence the doubtful free silver delegates in favor of New York's candidate, and the Colorado people who are here to beat Cleveland came right out and announced themselves in favor of Hill. A conference of the silver men from the west had been called at the room of T. M. Patterson, chairman of the Colorado delegation, and for more than two hours the battle raged, each side having silver votes in the convention on one candidate was discussed. The Colorado people say that 180 delegates favor free silver, and that the silver men cannot afford to vote for Cleveland.

Mr. Pence, of Colorado, says that Harrison will not get more than 15 per cent of the republican vote in Colorado, that Cleveland cannot get more than 15 per cent of the democratic vote, and that Cleveland will be nominated by the state that will fall in the hands of the farmers' alliance. At the same time he says that Hill's letter pleases him record for free silver and assures him Colorado's vote in the convention.

A publication which would have divided interest with the silver letter but for its improbability was the statement made by a morning paper that Hill was out of the race and would throw his strength to Patterson of Pennsylvania. This information was added to the news in a letter from "Prominent Republican Politicians" of Philadelphia, who were opposed to Harrison, and who had talked with Mr. Hill. According to this story, the Quay influence in Pennsylvania was to go to Patterson if he was nominated. All of this was new to the Pennsylvaniaans, but as they have had one eye on Patterson's chances ever since the Harrisburg convention, they are quite willing to talk in a guarded way about the result of his nomination. They did not recognize the allegiance of Oliver to either. The silver delegates, and indeed all as a second choice, and insisted that under the unit rule Cleveland would receive the vote of the entire delegation on the first ballot.

The anti-Harrison people, headed by ex-Senator Wallace and J. M. Gurney of Pittsburgh, have announced that they will fight the unit rule, but Mr. Harrison thinks that their opposition will not amount to much. These are the only two delegations that will likely to take part in such a movement. Mr. Harrison says, Mr. Harvey thinks that the break from the unit rule is not in the interest of Gov. Patterson and he claims to be the conservator of the only genuine Paterson boom. The senator was surrounded by a number of Indiana friends when the reporter found him to whom he was expressing his sincere sorrow for the Northwest's defeat by Lambert Tree whose guest he will be during the convention. Mr. Tree is entertaining ex-Senator Blaine, who has a personal loss to tell. As the reporter left the room Mr. Flower who had just come from a meeting of the New York delegation entered to pay his respects to the Indiana senator.

An Anti-Cleveland Baster. CINCINNATI, June 19.—About six of the Missouri delegation are at the Grand Pacific, Gov. Francis, whom every good Missouri democratic regards as a constant vice-presidential possibility, is here to encourage the delegation to stand fast for Cleveland. He has told me so and he has told other fellow-senators so. His only desire is that Illinois shall cast its vote for Mr. Cleveland and secure that gentleman's nomination. And there is no doubt that Cleveland will be nominated.

"Haven't you heard?" asked Mr. Tree. "That Mr. Palmer has been invited to place Mr. Cleveland in nomination?" "No," I had not heard of that," replied Senator Villas, "but that would be a handsome thing to do, and it would not militate against the contingency provided for in the Illinois resolutions in any way. It would be a right pleasant thing to do."

In answer to an inquiry whether Palmer would get the nomination, Mr. Villas said: "That isn't a possible case. Senator Palmer is sincerely enthusiastic for Cleveland. He has told me so and he has told other fellow-senators so. His only desire is that Illinois shall cast its vote for Mr. Cleveland and secure that gentleman's nomination. And there is no doubt that Cleveland will be nominated."

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The position of Mr. Morrison as a supporter of Mr. Cleveland, which was made plain in the telegram read before the Illinois delegation Saturday night, was re-inforced yesterday when Mr. Douglass, of St. Louis, who has a letter from Senator Harrison dated Washington, June 16, containing this passage: "Do not let us do anything except carry out the line of action indicated by the proceedings of our convention, and let the consequences take care of themselves. Anything else is liable to lead to misunderstandings, and possibly to infringement and divisions."

In view of Mr. Morrison's insistence that Illinois will vote for Mr. Cleveland, the Illinois delegation does not feel quite sure of itself yet, however, and several of the delegates are regarded with suspicion by the Cleveland people.

Among the Indiana politicians today both members of the state delegation to the convention and those who hold no official relations there is considerable distrust expressed at a manner in which the Indiana delegation is likely to be swayed away by discussions on the presidential nomination, and the failure, as one of them expressed it, "to appreciate the politics in the situation."

One of the best known politicians in the Hoosier state is Hon. James H. Rice, ex-state auditor, ex-chairman of the state central committee, and the intimate political friend of the late Vice-President Hendricks, with many for whom he has conducted a hard-fought campaign in Indiana. He is now engaged in natural gas schemes, but he has lost none of his interest in politics, with which he has decided conviction upon things. "What rules me," he said, speaking of the action of the Indiana delegation, "is the real political issue this year, at least so far as Indiana is concerned, is lost sight of by these

Cleveland fellows. We could not, if we would, and would not if we could, get away from tariff reform. The state has been committed to it from the day when Speaker [sic] was elected. There is no doubt of the position of the democratic party on that question, and the ratification of the statement that we must have an apostle of that particular fad for our candidate we are lost, not only silly, but disastrous."

"What is the issue that seems to you the overshadowing one?"

"The force bill. If the republican candidate should be successful and a majority of representatives be elected, the bill will become a law. The bill proposes to place the control of the franchise under the judiciary, and notwithstanding all that is said about the non-partisan character of our judges, they have their partisan leanings strongly on other mortals. It is impossible that it should otherwise. A man's politics is like his religion, largely a matter of heredity and association, and it makes no difference what law there will be found section for the man. New York and Indiana, as quickly as in South Carolina or Louisiana. We have got to meet the possibilities of that situation and the convention ought to consider it in choosing a candidate. We must have one that can win."

"Can't Cleveland win?"

"I always answer that question by saying I believe he could carry Indiana, with another candidate, it would be possible to win New York. Indiana are the two doubtful states."

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The first sends here a solid delegation opposing the ex-president and a majority of the Indiana delegation favor another candidate. These facts seem to demonstrate the position of the affable."

One of the delegates-at-large stood by Mr. Rice while he was delivering himself of these remarks and gave them his approval. He added on his departure: "What we really want is to nominate a president who will support a candidate who has not a vote from his own state, and refusing to join their associates in voting for a man from Indiana, who is the equal of any candidate named, and with whom none at the head of the ticket, there is no doubt of success. And you know they are politicians. It makes no difference."

A reporter for the United Press asked Senator Voorhees yesterday afternoon if he were going to place ex-Gov. Gray's name before the convention, as stated by some of the Indiana delegates Saturday.

"I do not know," he answered.

"That has not yet been decided, and what will be done I cannot say. The situation is chaotic. There is no organization behind anybody but Mr. Cleveland, and it looks as if he will be nominated on the first ballot."

A majority of the delegates appear to be for him and when a candidate secures a majority, the other states of the convention, necessary to nominate him, come to him. I have no opposition to antagonize Mr. Cleveland. If a majority of the party wants him for a candidate lets take him and see what the outcome will be. There is nothing personal with me, no grievance to redress in my opposition to his nomination. It is a question of expediency and ability to elect him."

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April 26-27

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Editorial office at Decatur, Illinois.
advertisements will be accepted.

MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 10, 1892.

It looks like Cleveland and Gray.

The Democratic National convention
will assemble in the Wigwam in Chicago
on Tuesday.

The picture of our "Theo." Nelson
which appeared yesterday in one of the
Sunday dailies seems to inspire the ob-
server to "take me as I am," with the
chances in favor of being rejected.

CLEVELAND, or not? That is the ques-
tion. Whether it's nobler in the bourbon
to suffer the dictation of the mugwump,
or take arms against the whole litter
and by defeating Cleveland end them?

The United States can compete with
the old world in manufacturing without
a protective tariff, if we reduce wages to
the old world standard. The Democrats
want to reduce the wages. The Repub-
licans do not.

This nomination of Cleveland will make
a square tariff light. Though it may be
attempted in the Democratic platform
there will be no straddle on the stamp.
The new law and its operation will pre-
clude that possibility.

The mugwump Springfield (Mass.)
Republican, a free trade advocate, has
now reached the conclusion that it is
opposed to a protective tariff because
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The McKinley law, as was claimed for
it at the time the bill became a law, has
after a fair trial proven that it keeps the
home market for home manufacturers
and American working men. The value
of all dutiable articles imported for the
month ending March 31, 1892, was
only \$290,491.25, as against \$329,781,405
for the month prior to March 31, 1891,
a difference in favor of the new law
and the American working men of over
\$310,000.00.

It is remarkable what alacrity
Democratic members in farmers and
other organizations discover that all the
members of the organization should vote
the Democratic ticket. Republicans, as
a rule, are in such organizations for the
purpose of bettering the condition of
those engaged in the calling or business
which the organization represents, while
the Democratic members, as a rule, seem
to be in them to get votes for the Democ-
ratic party. Moore and Cookell are
now examples of the latter.

Harrison and Reid!
It is well that Benjamin Harrison was
able to renounce through stress, trial,
and in face of every doubt, suggestion,
or argument that could be raised against
him. A stormy convention tests the
merits of a Presidential back, and safe
measure there when seas are heavy gives
the best assurance of weathering the
campaign against the Democracy.

With a mind of high order highly
trained, patriotic in spirit, thoroughly
self-possessed, yet modest, clear-minded and
clean-handed, Ben Harrison is a splendid
Republican leader, and as a Republican
President he leads prides him.

The experiments already made prove to
the extent of the tremor power of the
new invention, which has fully
realized all its originator claimed for it.
The inventor of the torpedo met with
the same success in the Empire
as every year comes around.

The police still refuse to be satisfied,
and insisted that the terrible sight
might shroud a mystery back. After
a violent outburst of anger and
passion, padding out so length conveyal
to destination, and both it and the job
were heartily enjoyed by the Nikita
party—Gentlewoman.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep
depending upon a healthy condition of
all the vital organs. If the Liver is
active, you have a Bilious Look, if your
liver is weak, you have a Pinted Look.

If your heart is bad, you will have good
looks. Electric Butter is the great alter-
native and tonic cure directly on these
vital organs. Other great remedies
include catch-basting, concoctions and
adjustments, enemas, cathartics, and
adjuncts.

Great Removalal Sale.

Every item at less than value.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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Thousands of people visited Riverside Park Sunday to enjoy the music and dancing air.

THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE, made by Koch & Weigand, are the best in town.

Chorale table supplies, good fruits and seasonable vegetables every day at Hanks & Co.'s store.

A portion of men are busily engaged in grinding Pine street, from Eldorado to Main street.

GLOVE underwear, largest stock in the west, for Gentlemen, Ladies and children at lowest prices at Linn & Sonnens Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

W. H. PENHALIGON'S, 2nd fl.

WITHIN a week or ten days the swimming pool at Riverside Park will be thrown open to the public. Spring water is now flowing into the pool.

We sell life, endowment and accident insurance and no charge for medical examination. Call on or address J. W. CRANE, 127 East Main street.

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THE ORIGINAL NEW ORLEANS MUSEUM at Riverside Park commencing Sunday, June 19. A legitimate amusement enterprise.

The residence of John Lytle is being moved to his west lot by R. J. Roberts, the houseowner. Mr. Lytle is yet undecided whether he will build upon the vacant lot or sell it.

NURSING MOTHERS are greatly benefited by using the American Brewing Co.'s "A. B. C. Bohemian Bottled Beer" of St. Louis. Geo. W. Kraft, Agt. 1t

It will pay you to call at O. B. Prescott's music store in quest of the best pianos and organs. Learn the low prices and easy terms.

THE next township Sunday school convention will be held at Sargent Chapel, on South Broadway, Sunday, July 3d. The one held yesterday at Westminster Chapel was a very pleasant affair.

The markets are flooded with poor beer. Get "The A. B. C. Bohemian Bottled Beer" of St. Louis. Geo. W. Kraft agent.

IT has been a "squonk" in the mine at Lincoln, and all of the men are laid off for a few days. A dump of the slate is the cause of the trouble and coal digging is retarded.

THE WEIR PLow company, of Monroe, has passed into the hands of Kingman & Co., of Peoria. They will enlarge the plant and continue the business under the same name and will start up the first of September.

AN ENGLISH journal says that the doors of the Bank of England are now so finely balanced that the clerk, by pressing a knob under his desk, can close the outer doors instantly, and they cannot be opened again except by special process. This is done to prevent the daring and ingenious unemployed of the great metropolis from robbing this famous institution. The bulwark department of this and other great English banking establishments are highly submerged in several feet of water by the action of the machine.

GEN. J. N. REED has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Modern Woodmen of America at a meeting of the board held at Fulton, Ill., to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ron. Milton W. Mathews, of Urbana, Gen. Reed stood next highest to the successful candidates for members of the board at the annual convention of the order held in Springfield in December, 1890. This order is growing very rapidly and now has 65,000 members.

IT is conjectured that a species may yet be found for every ill that flesh is heir to. However this may be, certainly the best specific yet found for diseases of the blood is Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and most diseases originate from impure blood.

A NEW means has been found for shutting off electrical currents without injury to the dynamo when wires happen to be crossed or there is over-heating from any cause. The essential parts of the apparatus are four needles so arranged that when the voltage of the wire is increased one of the needles will emit sparks and burn through a thread, thus releasing a spring that cuts out the circuit.

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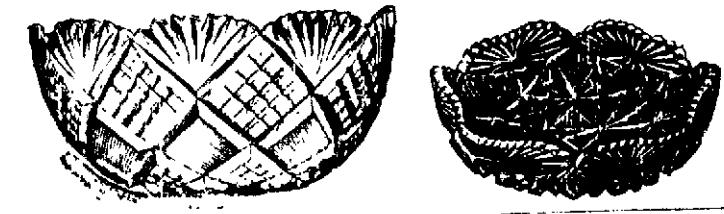
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A CATERING meeting of the Teamsters

Union will be held Tuesday evening,

June 21st at Dunbeck's Hall. Special

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TONIGHT there is to be a champion-

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A MUSICAL merry-go-round has been

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